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SUBJECT: CCMS: RESPONSE TO GUIDANCE FOR OCTOBER 22-23

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1. ON 17 OCTOBER 1974, MFA CCMS REP JEAN-FRANCOIS STUYCK-TAILLANDIER MET WITH REPS OF FRENCH MINISTRIES INVOLVED WITH CCMS ACTIVITIES. IN FOLLOWING PARAS, KEYED TO REFTEL, ARE SUMMARIZED CURRENT FRENCH VIEWS ON THE VARIOUS CCMS PLENARY DISCUSSIONS AND ACTION ITEMS, AS HE REPORTED THEM TO SCIATT.

2. GENERAL

(A) FRENCH WILL APPROVE FINAL INLAND WATER POLLUTION PILOT STUDY REPORT UNCLASSIFIED

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- (B) SOLAR ENERGY BECAUSE FRANCE IS VERY INTERESTED IN THIS TOPIC, THE MFA WANTS TO BE SURE THAT ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO FULLY DISCUSS THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) AND MAKE, IF DESIRED, CONTRIBUTIONS TO IT. THE CNRS (NATIONAL RESEARCH CENTER) HAS ALREADY APPROVED IT, BUT COORDINATION WITH ALL ORGANIZATIONS HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED. MOU PROBABLY WILL BE SIGNED WITHIN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS.
- (C) THERE IS SOME FRENCH INTEREST IN DISASTER ASSISTANCE, BUT COMMENTS WILL NOT BE DEVELOPED IN TIME FOR THE PLENARY.
- (D) AS IT STANDS, THE FRENCH BELIEVE THAT THE OIL SPILLS RESOLUTION IS A COMPLETED, FINISHED PROJECT.
 (E) COMMENT DEFERRED ON NEW AIR POLLUTION PILOT STUDY UNTIL TEXT OF PROPOSAL IS RECEIVED.
- (F) THE FINAL REPORT ON AMBULATORY HEALTH CARE WILL BE APPROVED BY THE FRENCH.
- 3. DELEGATION (STILL KEYED TO REFTEL AS ARE FOLLOWING SECTIONS): OLIVIER MANET, PLENIPOTENTIARY FOR ENVIRONMENT, WILL LEAD THE FRENCH DELEGATION, WHICH WILL "PROBABLY" BE COMPRISED OF HIMSELF, STUYCK-TAILLANDIER AND A CNRS EXPERT WHO WILL PRESENT A REPORT ON THE ODEILLO SOLAR ENERGY MEETING.
- 4. ROUND TABLE: NO STATEMENT WILL BE MADE BY THE FRENCH ON NEW PROJECTS OF INTEREST.
- 5. OMITTED IN REFTEL.
- 6. POSSIBLE NEW PROJECTS THE FRENCH WILL HAVE NOTHING TO OFFER AT THE PLENARY.
- 7. OTHER POSSIBLE PROJECTS: THE FRENCH WILL BE OP-POSED TO THE STUDY OF STRATOSPHERIC AND JET AIR POLLUTION, AS ANTICIPATED IN THE REFTEL. THE FRENCH ARE VERY INTERESTED IN THE LOW SPEED TURBINE PROJECT, BUT WISH TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THE PROPOSAL. UNCLASSIFIED

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- 8. PROGRESS OF PILOT STUDIES
- (A) REACTION IS FAVORABLE TO THE INLAND WATER POLLUTION STUDY.
- (B) THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT IS QUITE INTERESTED IN THE COASTAL WATER POLLUTION STUDY.

(C) DELEGATES WILL BE PLEASED TO INSPECT THE LOW POLLUTION POWER SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT VEHICLE AT THE PLENARY.

(D) FRENCH DELEGATES WILL SUPPORT THE ADVANCED HEALTH CARE RESOLUTIONS.

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- (E) THEY WILL PRESENT A REPORT ON THE RECENT VISIT TO THE ADVANCED WASTE WATER TREATMENT PLANT AT COLOMBES.
- (F) THEY WILL PRESENT A STATEMENT ON FREIGHT MOVEMENT IN URBAN AREAS.
- (2) FRENCH ARE WILLING TO DISCUSS THE DISSEMINATION PROBLEM CONCERNING URBAN TRANSPORTATION.

- (G) FRENCH ARE INTERESTED IN PARTICULAR AREAS PERTAINING TO THE DISPOSAL OF HAZARDOUS WASTE AND WILL SEND EXPERTS TO RELEVANT MEETINGS TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE.
- (H) SOLAR ENERGY: PLEASE SEE PARA (2) (B).
- (I) GEOTHERMAL ENERGY: FRENCH WILL BE INTERESTED IN RECEIVING FURTHER DETAIL CONCERNING THE PROPOSAL FOR NATO UNCLASSIFIED

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PARTICIPANTS TO WORK "FOR A PERIOD OF TIME" AT THE LOS ALAMOS SCIENTIFIC LABORATORY IN NEW MEXICO.

(J) ENERGY CONSERVATION: FRENCH REPS WILL BE PREPARED TO COMMENT ON STATUS OF ENERGY CONSERVATION EFFORTS IN FRANCE.

- 9. FOLLOW-UP REPORTS:
- (A) DISASTER ASSISTANCE: AS NOTED ABOVE, NOT TOO MUCH SHOULD BE EXPECTED FROM FRANCE IN THIS AREA.
- (B) OIL SPILLS RESOLUTION-NO SPECIFIC COMMENTS.
- (C) ENVIRONMENTAL AND REGIONAL PLANNING: AT THE LAST CCMS MEETING, THE FRENCH REPS ATTEMPTED TO EXPLAIN THAT THE SUBJECT IS TOO THEORETICAL, IN THEIR VIEW, TO PERMIT A SUBSTANTIAL FOLLOW-UP IN A SHORT PERIOD. THE FRENCH WILL HAVE NO REPORT AS YET, BELIEVING THAT IT IS MUCH TOO SOON TO DISCUSS THIS TOPIC.
- (D) ROAD SAFETY AND MEDICAL SERVICES: FRENCH WILL SUP-PORT IMPLEMENTING RESOLUTIONS ON EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AND MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION AND ALSO MAKE A FEW COMMENTS ON FOLLOW-ON ACTIVITY.
- (E) AIR POLLUTION: NO PARTICULAR COMMENT ON THIS SUBJECT. IRWIN

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